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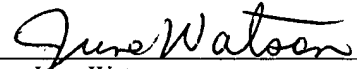
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- ☒ Response to Restriction Requirement
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard

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Respectfully submitted,
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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In response to the restriction requirement mailed on February 13, 2004, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-12, drawn to a method for introducing dsRNA into *C. elegans*, for prosecution.

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